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CONNELLSVILLE, PA., MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 8, 1904.

PRICE, ONE CENT.

A BRIDE'S TRAGIC SUICIDE.

Threw Herself in Front of Train After Quarrel With Her Mother.

FOLLOWING A BIG WEDDING CELEBRATION.

Mary Budore Was Broken Hearted Because Contributions From Guests Amounting to Nearly \$400 Were Not Given Her.

Mary Budore, a bride of scarcely 24 hours, threw herself under the wheels of a train at Star Junction Sunday evening and was instantly killed. The girl, who was 22 years old, was married Saturday afternoon to John Budore. After the ceremony the two went to Star Junction, where their home was to be, and there a wedding celebration was held. There was dancing throughout the night. It is a custom among the Slavs for each man present at the dance to give the bride a dollar. In observance of this custom nearly \$400 was given to Mrs. Budore Saturday night. Her mother collected the money, and after the dance was over she refused to give it to the girl. A quarrel ensued, and the daughter declared Sunday morning that she would kill herself.

Deputy Coroner J. E. Sims went to Star Junction this morning on train No. 3. He will investigate the death of Mrs. Budore. The suicide occurred on the Washington Run railroad, which runs up from Layton.

PREACHERS IN ARMS.

Stopped Decorator Silvers From Rushing His Work on Sunday.

FIREY SERMONS FROM PULPIT

Followed by a Concentrated Action on the Part of the Ministers—Silvers Explains His Sunday Work—Will Be Completed on Time.

The ministers of Connellsville, by a united effort, stopped the Frank G. Silvers Company of Philadelphia from decorating the streets of town for the Firemen's Convention Sunday at noon. From their pulpits yesterday several of the ministers mentioned the matter in their sermons, severely scorning the decoration company for alleged Sabbath desecration and municipal government for allowing the work to proceed. Immediately after the morning services a committee of ministers and churchmen called upon President of Council Clair Stillwagon to ask that the work be stopped. Stillwagon was not at home and Councilman William McCormick was appealed to. At the request of he and the ministers, Frank G. Silvers, who has personal supervision of the work here, discontinued the work. It was started again immediately after midnight this morning.

To a Courier reporter this morning Mr. Silvers said: "A bad delay in the shipment of the columns and other decorative material caused me to start the street work Sunday. I am not in the habit of working on Sunday and did on this occasion only because I believed it to be a business necessity. There were four days delay in the shipment of my stuff. It was lost in Altoona yards and through the claim department of the Pennsylvania railroad I had it located and shipped here on passenger train time. Today I put on extra men and expect to have the work completed this evening at six o'clock, as per my contract. I had no wish to have any friction with the ministers or the good people of Connellsville, and stopped work as soon as I was requested to do so."

FIFTEEN MINUTE SCHEDULE

Went Into Effect This Morning on the Suburban Railway.

Superintendent of Transportation J. Brown put in effect a new schedule on the Suburban division of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville railway this morning. The cars now run every 15 minutes. Before the old track was widened to the standard gauge and reduced the schedule was a 20 minute one. It is several years since the cars made the trip every 15 minutes and the patrons along the Suburban appreciate the improved schedule.

The cars now leave the corner of Pittsburg and Main streets five minutes after the hour, 20 minutes after, 35 minutes after and 50 minutes after. This arranges the arrival and departure of cars so that close and safe connection can be made with trains on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

FALSE PRETENSE CHARGED.

Fayette City Man Accused of Giving a Bad Check.

An information was filed in the prothonotary's office at Uniontown, Saturday afternoon, wherein Squire C. W. Beam of Fayette City holds Sam Kalins for court on a charge of false pretense. The prosecutor is Benjamin Freedman of Pittsburgh. The latter alleges that Kalins gave him a \$80.51 check on the Fayette City National Bank in payment for a bill of goods bought from Heller, Perrin & Co. A receipt was given at the time. The check was later discovered to be worthless and the prosecutor says he believes that it was given with the determination to cheat and defraud.

SMALL CROWD PRESENT.

Sacred Concert at Soisson Park Attracted Only a Few.

There was only a small crowd present at the sacred concert given at Soisson park yesterday by the Connellsville Military Band. One car sufficed to bring the band and the spectators back to town, though it was over-loaded.

The music was excellent, and the hand was frequently applauded, by those who journeyed out to hear them. What the spectators lacked in numbers they made up in enthusiasm.

WILL DEVELOP ZINC MINES.

Pittsburg Parties Are Interested in Joplin, Mo.

Pittsburg parties have purchased 130 acres of zinc mining land near Joplin, Mo. The new owners have been incorporated under the name of the Pittsburg-Missouri Zinc & Lead Company.

The president of the company is M. K. Saulsbury, for some years interested in the coke business in this country and one of the original promoters of the coke region trolley system.

Committees Working.

The committees appointed by the Business Men's mass meeting to secure a uniform closing of stores on August 25th, for a business men's outing are making good progress and have already secured the consent of a majority of the merchants of Connellsville and New Haven.

Visiting the Exposition.

Miss Mary McPartland, stenographer for the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville Street Railway Company, and Mrs. Janet and Robert Hare of Mt. Pleasant left this morning on B. & O. train No. 3 for a two weeks' visit to the St. Louis Exposition.

To Build Big Round House.

The Pennsylvania railroad will build a new round house at Derry. It will be the largest on the road with the exception of that at Altoona.

COLESTOCK REUNION

By Steward of County Home From Surcharge Made.

Held at Old Homestead in Dunbar Twp. Saturday and Sunday.

MANY GUESTS WERE PRESENT.

Sunday Dinner Was Partaken of Under the Spreading Shade of Trees Near on the Spacious Lawn of David H. Colestock's Home.

The annual reunion of the descendants of Joseph Colestock, late of Dunbar township, occurred in the 6th in the time required by law.

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**News From The
Upper
Yough Region.**

CONFLUENCE.

Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hustling Town.

Confluence, August 8.—The Sunday school picnic of the Christian Church went officially Friday to Livingstone's Grove. There were lemonade and cakes galore, several swings under the towering oaks and other diversions in which the young folks seemed to find pleasure. Dr. Mountain, the superintendent, was kept away till a late hour by a sick patient to the regret of all present.

James Scott of Ursina was taken ill suddenly on Thursday and Dr. Mountain was called. It was a case of heat prostration. He is now much improved.

Mrs. Bowman seems to be an accomplished equestrian and is frequently seen on our streets on the doctor's fine saddle horse.

Several more of our contemplate a trip to the great fair in the near future. All who have returned give such a glowing account of it that the fever for its sights increases daily.

Frank Stern left today for the mountains for a few days' vacation. He took with him his aluminum steam cooker. He expects to take some orders before he returns.

Mrs. Freed and daughter of Connellsburg who have been stopping at John Reider's for a week were calling in Confluence today.

Miss Lizzie and Jennie Boyd and brother, David, are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. John Reider for a few days.

Miss Florence Cummings is visiting her mother for a few days before she returns to her work at Rockwood. Miss Cummings is an operator.

The Leisichy farm was sold today to U. M. Black, the successful bidder. The price paid was \$2,075. A. R. Humbert is administrator.

Mr. and Mrs. Laughrey are staying at the Dods House. They are from Pasadena, Calif.

Thomas Sullivan was appointed teacher for the Beaver Creek school in Henry Clay township.

While passing Groff's store on Oden street Saturday, there were five men sitting with their heads bowed down in deep meditation. Not a word was being spoken. One of the number recognized the reporter of the Courier and told him that if he had a Kodak he could take a picture of a sick bunch. The reporter told them to get The Courier Monday by all means, and as none of the five read this paper, they might become converts.

Carl Franz arrived home today from Pittsburg, where he has been attending school and is staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Franz.

John O. Huff and Samuel Robinson were back in town today.

John Ringer and his daughter Sophia, were in town today doing some shopping.

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OHIOPYLE.

Notes from the Little Mountain Resort Up the Yough.

Oil City, August 8.—Camp Alert of McKeppert arrived here Saturday to spend a month with us.

B. F. Flowers was a business caller in town Saturday.

A. P. Daniels had his store roof repaired last week by Amos Collins, our general and up-to-date carpenter.

William Glotfleit received a large consignment of fruit Saturday.

Patten Rush was a business caller in town Saturday.

The berry season is now here and the gossip of the day is berries.

Leave your lieus of interest in care of postoffice box No. 93 and they will be gladly received. The Courier is the only paper so why not help the good cause along.

The V. A. C. of Pittsburg were defeated in an interesting game this afternoon by a score of 5 to 0. Rafferty pitched a star game having 22 strike outs. Only one hit was made off his delivery. The Ohiopyle boys played an exciting game. Brennan pitched a good game.

The game by innings: Ohiopyle 2 0 1 6 0 0 2 0 - 5 P. V. A. C. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 - 0 Strikeouts, by Rafferty, 22; by Brown, 11. Umpire, DeHans.

The game was close and exciting from start to finish and quite number of persons witnessed the game. The V. A. C.'s were greatly taken down over their defeat it being the first of the season for them while they have won 24 straight games without a loss. They will play the O. P. O. C. at this place again on Thursday afternoon, August 11, and quite an interesting game is looked for.

Robert Thorp was a business caller in town Saturday.

Thursday's rain has again changed the color of the Yough.

Read The Courier. All the latest happenings of the day.

Rev. Stevens will preach in the Baptist Church tonight.

A MONESSEN-MAKER.

Wallace H. Rowe instrumental in Building Steel Town.

Few manufacturers have made a greater success than Wallace H. Rowe, President of the Pittsburg Steel Company, one of the largest of the new independent steel concerns of the Pittsburg district. The deal made a few days ago for the conversion of 10,000 tons of pig iron into billets points out more surely than could otherwise the strong relation existing between independent and the strong competition that are placing in front of the United States Steel Corporation. Mr. Rowe is a native of St. Louis, and he early became identified with the steel and wire business. He went to Pittsburg in 1888 after the organization of the Bradlock Wire Company, and he was made treasurer of that concern. Afterwards he was active in the merging of two wire interests by the formation of the Consolidated Steel & Wire Company. This was later merged with the American Steel & Wire Company, and Mr. Rowe was made manager of the Pittsburg district plants. He had under him 16,000 employees. Prior to the purchase of the Shoemaker Steel Company Mr. Rowe was active in the formation of an independent horse-shoe plant, which was later purchased and merged with the American Steel & Wire Company.

In May, 1891, Mr. Rowe organized the Pittsburg Steel Company with Edward Bloddy, John Bloddy, Emil Winter and Willis F. Cook, and they have had a splendid mill at Monessen to which they propose adding a large plant for the manufacture of seamless tubing in competition with the National Tube Company. Mr. Rowe was also the prime mover in the organization of the Pittsburg Steel Hoop Company, which has since been merged with the Pittsburg Steel Company. This plant was located at Glassport. Mr. Rowe was one of the organizers and early directors of the Standard Security Trust Company. His residence in Moorwood avenue is one of the most palatial in Pittsburg. He is a member of various clubs, but is devoted to his home.

FEVER SPREADS.

Over 100 Cases of Typhoid at Mt. Savage Junction.

Mt. Savage, Md., August 7.—The typhoid fever epidemic at this place is daily assuming greater proportions and it is believed that unless the ravages of the disease are soon checked a pure water supply provided that perhaps hundred of persons will be compelled to take to their beds. The three physicians of the town have been working diligently day and night among the 100 or more fever patients to stamp out the disease.

Dr. Charles H. Brace, the Allegheny county representative of the Maryland State Board of Health, today spoke hopefully to one spring that near the plant of the Union Mining Company.

The physicians of Mt. Savage concur in the claim of Dr. Brace, despite that all the spring water in the town is contaminated and unfit for use.

Matthew Campbell, superintendent of the fire brick works of the Union Supply Company, is in a critical condition with the fever, and a number of other persons are seriously ill. Today Dr. Brace said that immediate action would be taken to fight the epidemic and establish a proper sanitary system in the town.

DEMOCRATS ARE SHY.

Washington County Followers of Jefferson Davis to Be Coaxed.

The political situation in Washington county is a novel one. In spite of the fact that the Democrats claim to have yet made no nominations for county offices, and the indications are that the Republicans will have a clean sweep at the polls. The Republican candidates were nominated two months ago, but none can be found to serve on the Democratic ticket.

When the Democratic county convention was held this year the matter of making nominations was left to the Executive Committee. Repeated meetings were held, but not a man would consent to serve and still no nominations are made. A conference of party leaders was held recently. It was decided to appeal through letters to Democrats to agree to allow the use of their names at the election. Unless something is done soon the Republican and Prohibition parties will be the only ones having regularly nominated candidates for county offices.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From All Parts of the Town.

Mrs. J. B. Barr of Delays, Pa., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Clara McCormick, West Farnie street.

Mrs. Harry Kramer of Evanson was the guest of friends in Cornellsburg Saturday.

Miss Harriet Wingersmith of Eighth street has returned home from a visit with friends in Confluence.

Mrs. Edward Desart of Mt. Pleasant was shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones of Pittsburg spent Sunday with Mrs. Jones parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome McCormick.

Miss Lee McNeil of Uniontown was calling on friends in Connellsburg Saturday. She was en route to Ohio, where she will spend several days.

Attorney Woods N. Cox of Uniontown was calling on friends in Connellsburg Saturday.

Persons are trying to take private lessons in Latin and Italian, apply at No. 113 South Pittsburg street, Frank Fulvo, graduate of Naples, Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Maece of Arch Street were the guests of friends in Uniontown Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Williams, one of the popular sales-ladies of Leslie, Buckweller & Company, spent Sunday with relatives at Ohiopyle.

One Johnson of Uniontown was calling on friends in Connellsburg Saturday.

Miss Dorothy DuShane of St. Paul, Minn., who is the guest of the Misses Eliza and Mrs. DuShane for the past few weeks, will be in Connellsburg Saturday afternoon on B. & O. train No. 16, where she will spend several days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rhoadbeck of Jefferson township spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bother, South Side.

Emmanuel Russell and Joseph Tissue of Bear Run were calling on friends in Connellsburg Saturday.

Miss Anna Rowan, one of the popular sales-ladies of Marc & Company, resumed her duties this morning after a two weeks' vacation with friends at Ohiopyle.

Mrs. Martha Gomas and Miss Emma Hite of North Pittsburg, three who have been the guests of Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Edwards of Cleveland, Ohio, for the past three weeks, returned home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buckingham and family of McKeesport, who have been the guests of relatives in Connellsburg for the past week, returned home Saturday afternoon over the B. & O. They were accompanied home by Miss Ora Trump, a sister of Mrs. Buckingham, who will spend several days as their guest.

Mrs. B. P. Murphy and family of Connellsburg went to Somerset county Saturday afternoon, where they will visit friends for several days.

Mrs. Dorothy Roger, who has charge of the art gallery department of Marc & Company, returned from New York where she purchased some of the most noted and up-to-date hits for the fall season.

Mrs. Grace Brown of North Pittsburg street was the guest of Mrs. Robert McDowell of Apple Street, returned home Saturday evening from an extended visit with friends in Pittsburg Sunday.

Dr. Charles Hoop of Vanderbilt was shopping in Connellsburg Saturday.

J. S. Hitchman, the Mt. Pleasant banker and politician, breakfasted here yesterday morning on his way to the woods.

Roy R. Rist of Vanderbilts took in Saturday evening.

Thomas D. Newmyer, Esq., wife and boy of Pittsburg are visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Newmyer.

25 Cents a Month

For The Daily Courier delivered at your door.

GET A SIGNED GUARANTEE.

A. A. Clarke Agrees to Return Money.

If Mi-o-na Fails to Make You Well.

Have A. A. Clarke sign the following guarantee when you buy a box of Mi-o-na, nature's cure for dyspepsia.

GUARANTEE.

A. A. Clarke hereby agrees to refund the money paid for Mi-o-na on return of the empty box, if the purchaser tells him that it has failed to cure dyspepsia or stomach troubles. This guarantee covers two 50c boxes, or a month's treatment.

(Signed).....

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Cut Flower Store,

GREEN HOUSE, FAIRVIEW AVE.

Funeral Designs of all kinds on short notice. Both Phones

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Wright-Metzler Company.

ONE PRICE.

THE BIGGEST STORE

THE RIGHT PRICE.

Dependable Collars.

FOR MEN

At Less Than Half Price.

Tuesday we will place on sale a lot of 4-ply collars in four of the newest shapes. These will all be perfect fitting and guaranteed to give satisfaction. We regularly at 15c each but for this one day you'll be able to procure them at this reduced price. This warm weather calls for a goodly supply of collars and we think this item will be a very welcome piece of news to many men whose collar supply is running low, as it means replenishment at a sharp saving.

Any Straw Hat in Our Store at 19c

We know it's getting a little late—we know if it wasn't we wouldn't make this offer. We know we don't wish to carry a Straw Hat over. We think you can use these at this price. If not this season why next. Just wrap them up in a piece of muslin and they will be as bright as ever when Spring comes, but you can get a whole month's wear out of them yet this season and there is in this lot of hats some worth up to a dollar and a half. So you can readily realize the importance of this reduction.

Not a Straw Hat in Our Store Reserved.

3 for 25c

Our Basement

DID A RATTING BUSINESS
LAST TUESDAY WITH ITS

Splendid Bargains.

Ample Reason Why Tomorrow's Business Will Be Even Greater.

The most important of these reasons is that all economical housekeepers are looking forward to our weekly sale as the most important money-saving day of the week, and every week adds to the number who come to take advantage of the Tuesday's reductions. Added to this

**Tomorrow's offerings are beyond
any of our former attempts at bar-
gain giving.**

51.00 Fronting Bonnets, sale price	79c	Children's Hammocks, sale price	15c
\$1.25 Bread Boxes, large size	87c	One set Mrs. Potts' Irons, sale price	98c
\$1.00 Flour Cans, 50 lbs., sale price	79c	The best White Rubber made for Fruit Jars, 3 dozen	10c
A first-class Alarm Clock, sale price	67c	China Cake plates, worth 50c, each	19c
Muslin and Calico Prints, worth 25c	18c	China Teacup and Saucer, worth 25c	10c
Cups and saucers for Fruit Jars, per dozen	19c	Large Jolly Glasses, with lids, worth 10c per dozen, 25c	29c
Quantity not limited.		Without lids, per dozen, 25c	

Every Yard of Lawns, Batistes and Dimities

remaining on our shelves will go Tuesday at..... **7½c**

You will easily understand the sweeping nature of this offer. Not a yard reserved, no matter what the original cost. You can select anything among them at seven and a half cents. This gives Tuesday shoppers values unmatched elsewhere at a price at all comparable, and the range of patterns is so extensive that you can't but find among them designs to meet your fancy.

A Tuesday Bargain FOR THAT BOY OF YOUR'S.

He wants the smartest. You of course look upon the practical side. This sale will meet both of your requirements. We have gone carefully over our Cap stock and every lot of Caps which were at all broken in sizes we threw out. We find we have in the neighborhood of

65 Boys Caps in 50c Qualities at 19c.

We have every size in one style or another, Buster Brown's, Etors, Yacht, etc., all of them good values at fifty cents. We'll close them out Tuesday at less than half cost.

SUPPORT IS PLEDGED.

Chicago Labor Unions Order Assessment to Ald Packing House Strike.

BOTH SIDES REMAIN OBDURATE

Further Attempts to Secure Peace Are Being Made—Strikers Say Employers Are Losing Money Through Incompetence of Imported Workmen.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—All the labor unions in Chicago have endorsed the stockyards strike. After listening to the strikers' side of the controversy, which was presented to them by Michael J. Donnelly, president of the striking butchers' union, the Chicago Federation of Labor, which is composed of every labor organization in Chicago and has a membership of nearly 300,000, adopted resolutions last night, pledging the moral and financial support of the federated body as long as the strike continues.

Each member of the central body will be assessed a small sum per week and the whole amount will be turned over to the striking union to help in the support of the strikers and their families during the struggle with the packers. The exact amount each member is to be assessed was left in the hands of a committee with orders to report results. While the officials of the Federation of Labor were unable to give an exact estimate of the amount of money the strikers would secure from this source, it was stated that the total sum would be well up in the thousands each week.

After a fight which has lasted for nearly four weeks a settlement of the stockyards strike seems as remote as at any time since the struggle began.

Workmen Lacking in Skills.

The packers, while claiming that they will soon have their affairs in normal condition again, so successful have they been in securing non-union men, yet admit that so far they have been able to get but 50% of their old employees back and that the majority of these men are unskilled workers. According to the strikers, every animal that has been slaughtered since the strike was called has been at financial loss to the packers, as in the majority of cases a lack of skilled workmen has made it impossible to operate the by-products department, and this source of revenue, which under normal conditions is a clear profit to the packers, has been allowed to go to waste.

The packers were figuring on a break in the ranks of the strikers when work was resumed this morning, but there was nothing that would indicate that the men were even considering such a step. According to Michael J. Donnelly, president of the organization which precipitated the strike, the strikers are in a better position than they were the day the strike was called.

Donnelly Makes Statement.

"During the four weeks that the strike has been in force," said Mr. Donnelly, "there have been less than 200 desertions and not one of these workmen who have gone back to the packers is a skilled worker. To offset these desertions our men have recruited at least twice that number of recruits from the men the packers have brought to Chicago to take the strikers' places. From a dispute between the packers and the butcher workmen the strike has spread into

WHAT IS WORN.

Blouses of Embroidery—Long Waisted Children's Frocks Revived.
Blouses composed of bridle silks and colored emb. cutery in a decided novelty, and these waists are most effective when supplemented by a silk stockings and a wide belt of black leather.

Nearly all children's frocks are joined with the long waist effect, the little skirt being composed of a couple of flounces headed by a sash. These gowns are mosaics of lace, needlework and embroidery which often requires great treatment at the hands of the small weavers. A more satisfactory garment is the dress of blue and white

lawn or organdy.

New York, Aug. 8.—A canvass has been made of over 400 of the retail butchers in the effort to induce them to stop buying the meat meat and deal with the independent slaughterers. It is alleged that all but one of the retail men promised to change their slaughterers. It is planned to call out every union man who is employed as a beef butcher in the retail trade if the employers do not change from the trust to the independent.

BRITISH IN SACRED CITY.

Dalai-Lama Refused to Conduct Negotiations With Invaders.

Sikia, India, Aug. 8.—The British expedition in Tibet reached Lhasa at noon Aug. 3. No further fighting is reported.

The British expedition is encamped a mile from the sacred mountains of Potala, on which is situated the Dalai Lama's palace and in the immediate vicinity of Dalai Lama's private gardens.

The Dalai Lama fled to a monastery 15 miles distant. It is reported that he has shut himself up in strict seclusion, refusing to see even the highest state officers and declaring that he will remain secluded for three years.

Colonel Youngusband has received a ceremonial visit from the Amman, who promised to assist in arriving at a settlement and made gifts of food to the British troops.

The appearance of the city shows the descriptions of explorers to be extremely accurate. The surroundings are very fertile and the whole place gives evidence of great prosperity.

A brilliantly costumed group watched the approach of the expedition from the roof of one of the structures on Potala mountain.

READY FOR COMMITTEE.

Judge Parker Preparing to Receive Delegation on Wednesday.

Eosopus, N. Y., Aug. 8.—Preparations for the coming to Rosemont of the notification committee is occupying the attention of Judge Parker. Mr. and Mrs. William S. Rodie of New York were his guests. Mr. Rodie is a member of the New York Democratic state executive committee and expects to take an active part in the campaign in New York state. He will be in charge of the Sanguine, which will bring the committee from New York on Wednesday.

Smith Premier

Ore Boat Sunk at Detroit.

Detroit, Aug. 8.—The freighter City of Berlin, with about 3,000 tons of iron ore on board, collided with an unknown boat in the Detroit river, north of Belle Isle, last night and sank.

Opening National Headquarters.

New York, Aug. 8.—The Republican national headquarters will be formally opened today by Chairman Cortelyou and Secretary Daniel S. Lamont, who had arranged to visit Rosemont, were unable to make connections and it is possible that they will not be able to consult with Judge Parker until after the notification ceremony. Judge Gray is staying with Mr. Lamont at Millbrook, N. Y.

NEW HAVEN.

Local Matters From the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Welsh of Venango are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Hart of Sixth street.

Thomas Murphy of Dawson was calling on friends in New Haven, Friday.

J. M. Skiles, store manager at Leavenworth, was calling on friends in New Haven Friday. Mr. Skiles was formerly the store manager at Trotter.

J. C. Hoop of Beaver Falls spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoop of Main street.

James Bogar and daughter Miss Rose of Flatwood, were shopping in New Haven Saturday.

J. F. Feather of Uniontown was spending Sunday with friends in New Haven Saturday.

Mrs. Catherine Quincy of Southgate has returned home from a trip to Miss Janet Sanderson of tenth street.

Calib Campbell of Main street went Saturday and Sunday with friends in West Newton.

John Wallace and wife, also from Hazelton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McElroy of Main street Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Evans of Bellwood were shopping and getting tickets in New Haven Saturday.

Miss Sarah Hester of Main street was returning home from Marion where she has been teaching a class in the past few days.

Miss Elsie McElroy of Main street, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, has returned home.

Hazel J. Matson of Main street spent Saturday afternoon with friends in Pittsburgh.

Miss Rose Sivens, 17, of New Haven, spent Sunday with friends at Hazelton.

J. C. Speare of Vandergrift was calling on friends in New Haven Saturday.

Charles Price of Wilkinsburg is the guest of friends in New Haven this week.

Miss Mary and Grace Seaman of Greenwood who have been the guests of friends at Oak Hall for the past three weeks, return home today.

Mrs. Colburn of Berlin is visiting at the home of Frank Curtis on Sixth street.

Mrs. George McClintock of Brookville is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Whitestone, of Ligonburg.

The acclaimed letters advertised by Postmaster S. B. Sicksmith for the week ending Thursday, August 4, are as follows: G. H. Cornish and Frank Johnson.

Miss Emma Kate Crowley of Elevation street went to Turtle Creek Sunday, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Schenck, for several days.

Mrs. Charles Cameron and family of Pittsburgh have returned home from a visit with friends in New Haven.

JUDIC CHIOLLET.

The long coat of the moment is made of pongee, striped with the same material or tufted matching in shade.

The collar and cuffs are of black silk or else some contrasting shade, either pale blue or green being particularly effective.

The list of lace trimmings with flowers or fruit is one of the smartest of the season.

It is useful to wear with many gowns, also because separate wreaths may be made and attached lightly to the crown.

The picture shows a dotted grass lawn gown trimmed with black velvet bows. The hat worn with it is a particularly chic French creation.

FIREMEN AT CONNELLSVILLE.

On account of the Firemen's Parade at Connellsille in connection with the meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's Association, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run a special train from Connellsille to Pittsburgh on August 11, leaving Connellsille at 10 P. M. and stopping at all intermediate stations.

August Excursions to St. Louis.

P. & L. B. railroad. Round trip, \$13.

Tuesday, August 2; Tuesday, August 16; Tuesday, August 30. Tickets good

ten days, in coaches only, valid on the famous Loupiana Limited. See near

agent for train service, or write to

Agent Pittsburg, Pa.

GRAHAM & NEWCOMER.

ALBANY, N.Y., SAY.

"For many years I suffered greatly with indigestion, my principal symptoms being sour stomach, belching, flatulence, pain in the heart and after eating. I took Dyspepsia Tablets and the stomach digest all kinds of food quickly without causing any pain.

These conditions can be immediately relieved by taking a Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet. To prevent recurrence, you must

take the tablets after meals.

Do not let me tell you how much relief I have found in taking these tablets.

They are the simplest and strongest of all writing machines.

It does better work, does it quicker, lasts longer, and costs less in the long run than any other typewriter.

It is the world's best typewriter.

Let us send you our little book telling all about it.

Typewriter Supplies. Machines rented. Stenographers furnished.

The Smith Premier Typewriter Company

H. P. Snyder, Agent.



DO YOU SUFFER WITH YOUR HEART?

More Than Likely Your Trouble Arises
From Your Stomach and Can
Quickly Cured.

Medical reports prove that of one hundred men and women who have pain in the region of the heart, and fear they have heart disease, ninety-nine are really suffering with some form of dyspepsia or indigestion.

Do not deceive yourself that your heart is affected, and above all things do not begin to dose yourself with medicines containing opium—alleged “cures” for heart disease.

Dyspepsia and indigestion fill the stomach with gases, causing it to expand greatly. It presses against the heart and a feeling of suffocation as well as sharp pain

Daily and Weekly.

Entered as second-class matter at postoffice, Connellsville, Pa.

THE COURIER COMPANY,
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DAILY, \$3.00 per year; 1c per copy;
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ADVERTISING.

The Daily and Weekly Courier is continually making the best newspaper advertising in the Connellsville coke region. We make this statement on the authority of advertisers who speak from experience. We are willing to be judged by results. Schedule of advertising rates furnished on application. Address all communications to THE COURIER COMPANY, 127½ Main Street, Connellsville, Pa.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL TICKET.

For President,
Theodore Roosevelt of New York.

For Vice President,
Charles Warren Fairbanks of Indiana.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Supreme Court Justice,
John P. Elkin of Indiana.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

For Congress,
Allen F. Cooper of Fayette.
For Sheriff.

Mart. A. Klefer, Uniontown Borough.
For District Attorney.

Thomas E. Hudon, Uniontown Board
of Assembly.

Charles F. Hood, Connellsville Twp.

Andrew A. Thompson, Uniontown Board.

William L. Wood, Jefferson Twp.

Dr. Arthur S. Hagan, Fairchance Bor.

For Poor House Director.

James J. Barnhart, Dunbar Twp.

For County Surveyor.

James B. Hogg, Connellsville Bor.

STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for said county and State duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared John B. Cooley, who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say:

That he is employed as pressman in the office of The Daily Courier, a newspaper published in the Borough of Connellsville, Pennsylvania;

That the number of copies of said newspaper printed and circulated during the week ending August 6, 1904, was as follows:

August 1	2,925
August 2	2,950
August 3	2,950
August 4	3,050
August 5	3,050
August 6	3,100

And further sayeth not.

JOHN B. COOLEY.
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 6th day of August, 1904.

JOHN KURTZ,
Notary Public.

LAST DAYS FOR VOTERS.

The State Democratic Committee has issued the following "last days" for voters:

For registering voters, Wednesday, September 8.

For paying taxes, Saturday, August 8.

For filing certificates of nomination, state offices, Tuesday, September 27.

For filing certificates of nomination, county offices, Tuesday, October 11.

For filing nomination papers, county offices, Tuesday, October 18.

Election day, Tuesday, November 8.

A MAN OF ACTION.

The only serious objection ever urged against President Roosevelt is his age. When all the criticisms have been sifted, this alone remains, that he is too young, hot-headed and impetuous to be the Chief Magistrate of a great nation like ours.

It seems to be admitted that he is the youngest man who has ever attained to the Presidency; but it is a man's mental equipment, not his age, that qualifies him for important public service. We must judge President Roosevelt's fitness, not by his years, but by his acts.

President Roosevelt has told us that he believes in the strenuous life, and his deeds do not belie his words. He is a man of action, and that is what has made him dear to the young men of the nation. Moreover, his decisive actions have in all important issues proven wise. He settled the coal strike, the Isthmian canal question, the Trust-building issue, and he settled them to stay settled. His methods smacked of the strenuous, but they were as effective as they were prompt.

"God give us men! Tall men, sun-crowned, who live above the fog! In public duty and in private thinking. God give us men! Men strong and brave and true, and not afraid. Their duty seen, to do it promptly."

THE YOKE.

Congressman Joseph C. Sibley announces that he will present a bill in the next Congress lengthening the Presidential term to six years and reelection.

This is a reform in our national system that has been much discussed, but never acted upon. The Courier has expressed itself upon the question numerous times and in no uncertain manner. We believe some such measure

is wise, and hope the Sibley bill will pass.

The President of the United States ought at no time to permit his private interests to interfere with the faithful discharge of his public duties. The average President's ambition is not satisfied with one term. He wants two as most of his immediate predecessors have had. He is no sooner installed in the White House than he begins to plan and scheme for a renomination and reelection. To do this, he often has to sacrifice the interests of the country on the altar of his aspirations. He is not his own man. He is not the people's man. He is the helpless captive of political brigands, and the country pays the ransom.

The proposed Sibley bill, if passed, will remove the yoke of his bondage. The yoke is not only about the President's neck, but it reaches around the necks of the people, and the sooner it is removed the better for the nation.

A DESPERATE FLIRTATION.

The Westmoreland Democrats are flirting with Bachelor John Henry Brown. John Henry was once an irresistible Republican beau, his sweetness and light made him the Sunday John of his party. He was potted and spoiled. He became fatuous and selfish. The peace of the Republican family was broken by his cross and peevish conduct, and when at last he became unbearably naughty and received the sound spanking of a defeat he had sulked out in the woodshed with the other old lumber.

He is now contemplating the acceptance of an invitation to visit for an indefinite period the Democratic house over the way. If he comes, Miss Democracy had better import one of her famous tigers to guard her person and property.

An Iowa delegate to the Democratic National Convention who jumped on the Parker bandwagon ahead of his comrades, has been put off the Nominating Committee. He declares he is going to Espous anyway and it isn't likely that Parker will put him out of the house when he comes. This much boasted Democratic harmony seems to have some mighty rough edges.

The Braddock and McKeesport papers are kicking vigorously because local fruit dealers do not fill their boxes full. The dealers want some of the "Truth" themselves.

The National Pike is valuable through Fayette county not only as a public highway but also as a coal field, and everybody is wondering why Joe Thompson didn't have an option on it long ago.

"Don't do as I do, but do as I say," is the advice of Colonel Bryan to Bryan Democrats, and they will do as he says. They will not vote for Mister Parker.

J. Pierpert Morgan says he is for Roosevelt. All Wall street is not for Parker.

Judge Parker is now plain Mister Parker. He is determined to be Democratic as well as regular.

Some of the anxious Democrats want Mister Parker to quit swimming in the river lest he be drowned. He is now the Hope of the Usunfract.

This is not a wholly godless town. The public buy cigars and soda water on Sunday, but contractors may not work their men on the streets even for a firemen's convention.

The construction of new coke ovens at this time is noticed that the people whose visions pierce the future see light, not darkness, there.

Never mistake fads for fashions.

The suicidal mania has reached even the Starish race in the coke region. The bride of Saturday was the Bride of Death Sunday evening. Her wedded bliss was surely short.

Postmaster Siedesmitz is booming in the New Haven office. Sammy wants to make it so big that Clark Gollie can't swallow it.

Uncle Sam is sending a few battle-hips to Turkey just to impress upon Abdul Hamid's Oriental mind that the name of "bluff" is fully understood on this side of the Atlantic.

Colonel Bryan and his faithful Mess-fod-lours are recognized in Mister Park's home to a man with just matching or only because the judge voted democratic not carpet. Have the rungs "regular" both times Colonel Bryan shaken and beaten out of doors.

The Homestead Press congratulates its readers over on the promises of better telephone service.

Connellsville has excellent service, but Connellsville has competing systems and each of them have to be good in self-defense.

The McKeever Times advises its thrifty readers to look out for August bargains in its advertising columns.

Wise people read the advertisements in their newspapers. It pays them.

The Courier is read by a lot of wise people as the merchants of Connellsville have discovered to their chagrin.

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Gossip.

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Exchange Etchings.

The Waynesburg Independent demands that the law be enforced requiring dogs to be muzzled at this season of the year.

In view of the recent occurrences at South Connellsville, it looks as if the officers of the law in Connellsville borough and township are neglecting a very important duty in not impounding every dog now running at large without a muzzle.

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The Charleroi Mirror says that town has \$22 in the stock toward buying a street sprinkler and a street sweep.

Don't buy either of them unless it is fully understood that they are thoroughly property after they are bought.

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The McKeesport News thinks a revival of the old-time spelling bees would be beneficial, being led to this conclusion by certain communications.

There is no excuse in these enlightened times for poor orthography.

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McKeesport News: Whether the spook pitch for hose and executive for the newly organized hose company.

A hose company without equipment is like a boat without oars or rudder. It may not change their appearance with their environment, is question.

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The Washington Observer says that town is on the waiting list for a new B. & O. station.

When Washington gives the B. & O. more business perhaps the latter will reciprocate with better depot facilities.

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The Waynesburg Messenger breathlessly awaits Mister Parker's letter of acceptance and in the meantime as precisely where this dread disease attacks the Rockwater Democracy houses is where these deadly germs was not Colonel Bryan's choice he implanted, are nurtured and bring regarded by the latter as the lesser forth their harvest.

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All Kinds of Dry Goods.

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Prices Always the Lowest.

Ladies' Kimonos

Large and beautiful line of Long and Short Kimonos.
\$1.50 ones.....out to \$1.12 | \$1.00 ones.....out to 75¢
50 ones.....out to .98 | .80 ones.....out to 33¢
25 ones.....out to 25¢

Pongee Silk Coats.

Three-quarter lengths, also full lengths.
\$15.75.....out to \$11.50 | \$12.50.....out to \$8.50

Domestics

A Full Line at Lowest Prices.

Children's Dresses.

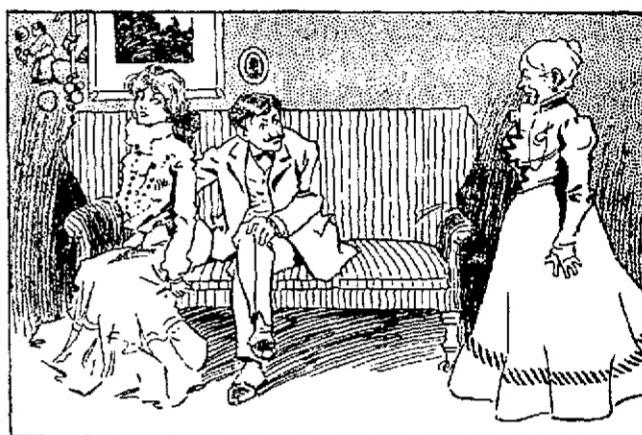
WHITE—Long or Short.....25¢ to \$6.75

Gingham, 25c up.

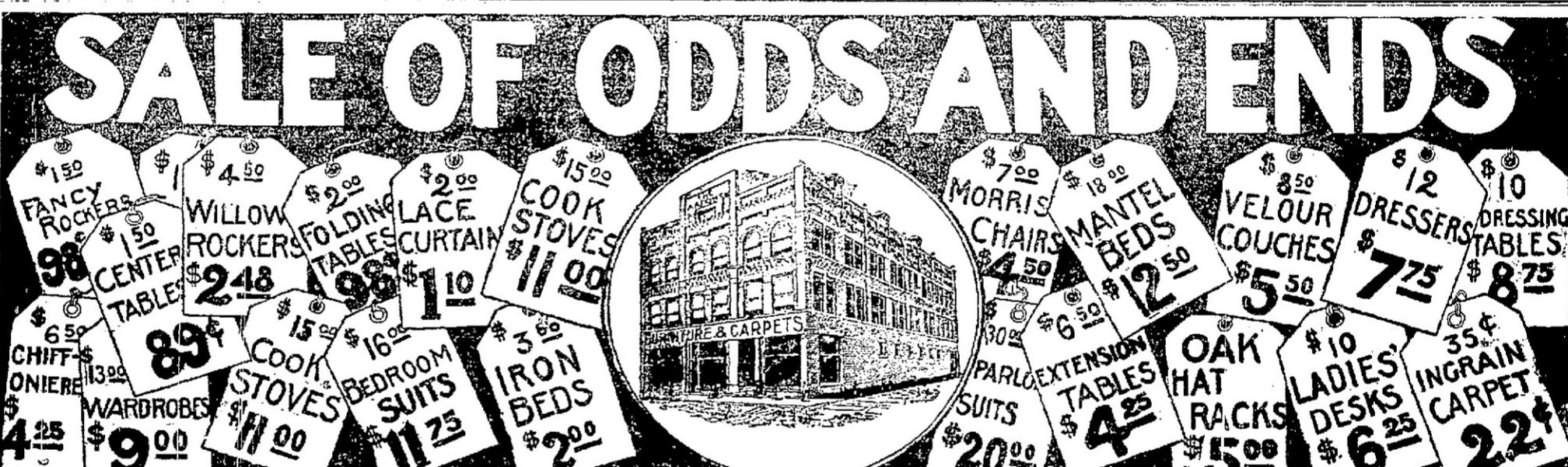
All Children's Gingham Dresses at.....1/4 off

New Idea Pattern 10 cents.

Leche, Buckwalter & Co., One-Price STORE.

THE WRESTLING CRAZE.

Jones (with great presence of mind): "It's all right, Mrs. Booth. We were talking about wrestling, and I was just explaining to your daughter what is meant by the waist hold."

**A CROWNING EFFORT**

in grand value giving. Unprecedented bargains abound in every department. More of those great money saving chances that have made the name of **The AARON CO.** a household word throughout Connellsville homes. Don't miss the rare opportunity at THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.

BEDROOM SUITS

\$18.50.

50 other suits from 30 to 40 per cent. under usual price.

12 Bedroom Suits

\$18.50.

Sideboards \$15 to \$150.

Extension Tables, 6, 8 and 10 Feet.

THE NEWS OF DUNBAR

Events of the Day in the Busy Furnace Town.

Dunbar, Aug. 8.—This town is to have another ball team. The new team will do away with the W. A. C.'s and a team known as the seat hoisters at the furnace will be organized. The best men will be taken from the two teams, which will compose one of the best clubs in this section. The name of the new team will probably be called the Union Stars. Some wanted them to get yellow suits and name them the Yellow Kids. The name would at least have made the team popular if not famous, but it is understood that the team will bear the former name. They expect to have their suits here in about ten days.

B. S. Kelley, the faithful and ever-patient mail carrier of Route No. 32, passed over his route Saturday morning with a broad smile playing about his face that naturally would have led one to think that he had received an advance in his salary or his mail matter had been made lighter. But such was not the case. The truth of the matter is that he will have more "mail" to carry than ever, as his wife presented him with another son on last Friday, hence the smile.

Mrs. D. A. Byers, who has been spending a few days at Markleton, has returned home.

Mrs. Thomas Martin, who has been seriously ill with symptoms of typhoid fever, is reported as being greatly improved. Her attending physician thinks that she is out of danger.

A large banner has been stretched across Connellsville street between the Central Hotel and the Central drug store announcing the Labor Day celebration at Uniontown, September 5.

Miss Pearl Reined of Morgantown, W. Va., is the guest of relatives at this place.

Carroll McCandless, who has been the guest of relatives near Pittsburgh, has returned home.

F. C. Wilhelm was transacting business in Connellsville Saturday afternoon.

The B. & O. ball team of Connellsville came up Saturday afternoon and did battle with the W. A. C.'s, the local team being victorious in a score of 16 to 4. The visitors had too much confidence in their ability and also too much in their pitcher, whom our boys could bat all over the field. It was his weakness that allowed the W. A. C.'s to run up such a large score.

Miss Grace Carr of Braddock, who has been the guest of Mrs. Patrick Ryan, returned home Saturday afternoon. Master William Ryan accompanied her.

Mrs. David Williams went to Dickerson Run, Saturday, to see her niece, Miss Willa Haggerty, who had been very poorly, but she did not get to see her, as she had gone away in hope of improving her health. Miss Haggerty is a very prominent young lady and a teacher in the Dunbar township schools, she being released to teach at Vandalia the coming term. She has a large circle of friends, here who hope that she may return greatly improved in health.

A large delegation of King David Lodge No. 826, I. O. O. F. of this place, went to West Newton, Saturday afternoon, to help the order of that place celebrate their 56th anniversary.

A hearing was had before Square Cotton, Friday evening, the parties interested being Mrs. Caldwell and Samuel Koen a picture agent. It appears that Koen had sold her an enlarged picture and also a locket. Shortly afterward the same was broken and Mrs. Caldwell wanted the agent to replace it. He refused to do so and the suit was brought. Each party was allowed to give their side of the story and a final settlement was reached by Mr. Koen agreeing to replace the piece of jewelry.

B. T. Hanna, B. & O. supervisor, who makes his headquarters in Point Marion, was in Dunbar Saturday morning, looking after the condition of the tracks. He no doubt found them in good condition, as Section Foreman John Malone has the reputation of being one of the best foremen employed by the B. & O. company.

Mrs. Joe H. Wilson, wife of Esquire Wilson, formerly of this place but now of Point Marion, was calling on friends here Thursday evening. Mrs. Wilson states that they are very comfortably located and are doing a nice business, but with all that Dunbar seems much more like home to her.

About 10 of our young people joined a party from New Haven and went by trolley to the home of A. S. Craig of Uniontown, where the evening was very enjoyably spent in the playing of finch and numerous other parlor games. All report having had a very enjoyable time.

Prof. C. S. Smith was a visitor in Point Marion, Saturday.

BIG VAUDEVILLE SHOW.

Manager Challis Has a Star Attraction for This Week.

Manager George S. Challis of the Colonial Theatre has secured a star attraction for Firemen's week in the World's Fair Vaudeville show. The attraction, which will hold the boards Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week, is one of the best summer shows on the road. There will be almost endless variety in the repertoire and each feature will be a winner in its class.

Solly Stroupe, the well known Pittsburgh boxer, will, with his brother, give a boxing exhibition each evening, and on Thursday evening the Pride of Connellsville will go on with Stroupe for a four-round exhibition. The doors of the theatre will be open at 8 o'clock each evening, but the curtain will not rise until 9 o'clock. This will give the visiting firemen and others an opportunity to enjoy the evening downtown before going to the theatre.

There will be a change of bill every night.

John Henry Hippenstein.

HIPPENSTEEL—John Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hippenstein, died this morning of appendicitis at his home at Davidson, aged 9 years and 10 months. Notice of funeral later.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Local News From All Parts of the Town.

Mrs. M. P. Woodward of Tenth street is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rowan of Ohio.

Miss Margaret Percy of Philadelphia and house guest, Miss Grace Konitz of Streator, Ill., were the guests of friends in Uniontown Sunday.

Miss Helen French of Dawson and Miss Garnet Marchand of New Haven were calling on friends at Dunbar, Sunday.

J. C. Newcomer of Uniontown spent Sunday with friends at South Connellsville.

Miss Mary Cole, the popular singer, for H. & J. Kurtz, Main street, resumed her duties this morning after a three weeks' vacation.

J. C. Kurtz and Miss Emma Bett spent Sunday with Mrs. G. E. Fredrick and daughter, Miss Frances, who are recuperating in Confluence.

James Addis of South Pittsburg street went to York, Pa., this morning, where he will spend several days with friends.

Reuben Bowden of Vanderbilt was calling on friends in Connellsville, Sunday.

Mrs. Elias Wolfe and Mrs. Barritt Stern of Pittsburgh were the guests of Mrs. Henry Goldsmith of Main street, Sunday.

A. E. Evans of Allegheny was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Herbert of Third street, New Haven, Sunday. Miss Lida Barnhart of Scottdale was shopping in Connellsville, Saturday.

Miss Florence Vance of Cedar ave-
nue has returned home from a visit with her sister, Mrs. William Gil-
land, of Bellevue.

Edward Alden of Scottdale was call-
ing on friends in Connellsville, Sat-
urday.

Mrs. Charles Hippberger of Dunbar was the guest of friends in Connellsville, Saturday.

Miss Ethel Cunningham of Apple-
ton is visiting friends at Palmerton. Miss Sarah Brownfield of Fair-
mont, who has been the guest of Miss Anna McDowell of New Haven for the past few days, went to Mc-
Dowell Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. C. Edmonds.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Jacobs of Dunbar were the guests of friends in Connellsville Sunday.

Mrs. Gould Hyatt of South Pittsburg street was the guest of Mrs. Harry Schenck of Turtle Creek, Sunday.

Miss Nell Everett of Dunbar is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. McPaine of Church place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moser of Union-
town stopped for a few hours with friends in Connellsville this morning.

Miss Margaret and John McPhee of Beaver were calling on friends in Connellsville, Sunday.

J. R. Sane of Pittsburgh spent Sunday with friends in Connellsville.

Mrs. Harry Hershey and family of Harrisburg, who have been the guest of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Vance, of Cedar avenue, for the past several weeks, returned here Saturday from a few days' visit with Mrs. Hershey's aunt, Mrs. Harry McCormick, at Rockwood.

William McGraw of Pittsburgh spent Sunday at his home on South Pittsburg street.

Wayne Miller of Scottdale spent Sunday with friends in Connellsville.

Carl Kramer and Thomas Hunt of Uniontown were calling on friends in Connellsville, Sunday.

Elmer Scheibe of Olga street spent Sunday with friends in Ursina.

Frank Fields of Hancock, Md., who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Carrie Zimmerman, of Fairview avenue, for the past several days, returned home this morning on B. & O. train No. 6.

Misses Nellie, Grace and Sarah Adams of Stoegga, Va., have been the guests of their sister, Mrs. F. T. Adams, of North Pittsburg street, for the past several weeks, returned home this morning on B. & O. train No. 6.

Mrs. J. C. Todd and family and Miss Lizzie Todd of Pittsburg were the guests of friends in Connellsville, Sunday.

Henry Brown of Pittsburg spent Sunday with friends in Connellsville.

Mrs. John T. Robinson and daughter, Miss Jennie Robinson, both of Uniontown, were among the guests registered at the Tough House, Saturday.

Prof. C. S. Smith was a visitor in Point Marion, Saturday.

GREAT VALUE**Chippewa Excursion.**

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad will run an excursion to Chippewa every Sunday during the summer until further notice. Train leaves here at 10:10 A.M.

25 Cents a Month
For The Daily Courier delivered at your door.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND HOUSE
Hold goods. Will sell cheap. Apply
509 N. Pittsburg st., 2nd floor.

FOR SALE—COAL STOVES
Hold goods. Double heating stove.
Peninsula and steel range. E. W. BOW-
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FOR RENT—I HAVE THREE SIX
room flats, all modern improvements,
bath, etc. Lighted gas, water and
electric. Near center of town. Call
H. A. CROW. First National Bank,
Connellsville.

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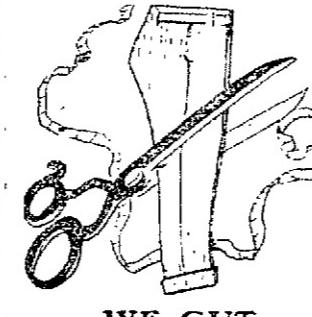
OTEL VICTORIA, NEW HAVEN,
R. Maloney, Proprietor. Newly fur-
nished and all modern conveniences.
Rooms \$1.00 to \$2.00. All meals included
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FIREMEN'S WEEK

Will mean many tired and worn out feet. Better prepare for it by getting a cool, comfortable pair of Oxfords. Nothing you can wear that will be easier or look neater. Then, they give as much service as high shoes, and will cost you less money. It will be economy to buy them from . . .

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WE CUT
All styles of suits to your measurements. We guarantee to give you entire satisfaction as to cloth, fit, workmanship, etc.

CHEAP VALUE

For your money. Special attention given to separate trousers. Don't waste any more time looking for a good tailor, you've found the best there is when you've come to us.

Electra and Smyrna Rugs

Some odd patterns, 36 inches by 72 inches. Good blues and greens and reds among these. Regular price was \$1.50; sale price will be \$3 each.

Light Color Shirt

Percale and dimity and lawn. Sold for \$1.75 each and just about enough for two hours selling Monday morning at \$1 each.

Huck Towels

Red, white and blue borders. Regular 50c quality, 21 inches wide and 42 inches long; 15 dozen pairs to sell at 40c the pair.

Table Linen

Bleached and unbleached 64 and 88 inches wide. Regular price was 50c and 65c a yard. Sale price will be 40c the yard.

Linen Scarfs

Size 18 inches by 54 inches. Silver bleached lining, and all linen too. Regular price 50c; sale price 40c.

Linen Stand Covers

36 inches square, same quality and kind as the scarfs. Sold for \$1. Sale price will be 65c each.

If You Should Die

How much of your estate would be sacrificed in a forced settlement?

The proceeds of an Equitable Policy provides ready cash—immediately available—just at the time it is most urgently needed.

But you must get the Policy before it is too late.

The Equitable Life Assurance Society
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CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Pennsylvania Fair and
cooler Monday; Thursday fair; fresh
northwest winds.

DETERMINED EFFORT**A****The Bargain Center****The New York Racket Store****Every Day a Bargain Day.****Decorating Goods.**

Red, White and Blue Bunting, per yard.....	4 ¹ / ₂ c
Stars and Stripes Bunting per yard, at.....	4 ¹ / ₂ c
Flags, all sizes, from 2c to 25c each, From 49c, 73c to.....	99c

The R. & G. Corset.

The only Perfect Fitting Corset Made.	
All stylish dresses wear the R. & G. Corsets.	99c

A Few of the Things You Are Constantly in Need Of:

Lace & Curtains.	DRY GOODS.
2½ yards long, beautiful patterns usual price anywhere, 50c, to our price.....	50c
3 yards long, big variety, everybody wants 65c a pair for them, at.....	35c
3 yards long, 50 inches wide, Nottingham's fine line to select, from, quoted usually for \$1 we have for.....	75c
3½ yards long, 54 inches wide, same make as above, \$1.50, kind, our price.....	99c
3½ yards long, 60 inches wide, can't buy them anywhere for less than \$2.00; we have a line of.....	\$1.48</

HAY MEANS BUSINESS.

Not Sending Warships to Turkish Waters on any Idle Errand.

INTENDS TO SECURE RESULTS

Admiral Jewell and His Squadron Sails from Villefranche for Smyrna to Enforce Demands of United States Minister at Constantinople

Villefranche France Aug 8—The American European squadron commanded by Rear Admiral Jewell, has sailed for Smyrna

Washington, Aug 8—Admiral Jewell, it is intended shall set in full accord with Minister Leishman but it advised by the latter that he is unable to obtain satisfactory answer from the sultan that the United States warships are expected to make an immediate formidable showing. Admiral Jewell is, of course, expected to keep in full touch with the state department here and will carry out to the letter his purposes in having him sent to Turkish waters.

Among officials in Washington general approval was expressed over the course of the United States in its negotiations with Turkey. It is generally said that the United States has been lenient with Turkey as could be expected and while it is not generally believed that any open breach will



SULTAN OF TURKEY

occur, it is not denied that it is time for the sultan to realize that he can no longer impose on this government.

The general view of the situation as expressed here is that the sultan is the victim of some unwise counsel. Certain reports have gone out from the United States to the effect that this government was only bluffing in connection with sending a fleet to Turkey and it is generally believed that the sultan knows now that the assertions of certain naval officials that the fleet would no longer remain in Turkish waters, and in fact, never intended to go to Turkey, was the real reflection of opinion in the state department.

It is known that there has been some misunderstanding between the state department and the navy department in regard to this question. Secretary Hayes' impatience at reports given out from the navy department that the fleet was on its way back to the United States without any thought of going to Turkey was very evident when he returned to Washington on Friday.

The sudden orders to the European squadron to go to Smyrna and the proposed plan to keep the battle ship squadron at Gibraltar until further orders when it arrives there it is believed will have the desired effect on the sultan.

FRENCH CITY IN FLAMES.

Conflagrations Raging at Toulo and at Strasbourg Alsace Lorraine

Toulon France Aug 8—Fire broke out in the arsenal here at midnight originating in the extensive stores. The fire spread rapidly and now threatens to embrace entire blocks of buildings.

The troops were at once called out and mustered in the streets. The prefect of the marine police is on hand giving assistance and admirals and generals are helping in the work at the pumps. A division of the reserve squadron has been called upon to aid.

Within an hour after the fire broke out the entire population was aroused. Guns are being fired as signals for help which is coming in from the whole countryside. The flames are spreading with the greatest rapidity.

Strasbourg Alsace Lorraine Aug 8—A great fire is raging in the old quarter of this city. A large orphan asylum and the Magdalene church have already been destroyed.

WOMEN VOTE FIRST TIME.

Change in Administration Follows in New South Wales

Sydney N S W Aug 8—The general election has resulted in a victory for the opposition party which advocated reform in extravagance of administration. It is expected that the cabinet will resign.

The features of the election were the great exercise of the franchise by women to whom it was only recently granted and a large accession to the strength of the labor party.

Tobacco Bill Passed in Canada Ottawa Ont Aug 8—The senate has passed the anti-tobacco combine bill designed to protect the Canadian tobacco manufacturers against the methods of the big American concerns who it is alleged have been trying to force retailers to handle no goods except theirs.

Boys Drawn While Bathing Wilkesbarre Pa Aug 8—Bruce Knorr aged 11 and Bert H Williams aged 14 were drowned in the Susquehanna river while bathing.

Death Expected Hourly Sweet Springs Md Aug 8—For Senator George C Vest has been gravely ill and his death is expected hourly.

20 IT JUDGED BY COMD.

Black Hand Society Responsible for New York Outrage

New York Aug 8—It is believed now in a crowd of Italians in Lower Manhattan that a score or more persons were led to the air to die by Donetto who the police believe is a member of the Black Hand society which for sometime has terrorized the Italian citizens here and caused many iron to be thrown at them and actual violence.

Donetto was himself not severely injured by the bomb than any of the others one leg being badly torn from the hip to the ankle. He managed to escape at the time and was arrested at his home.

It was some time before the police were informed of the bombs throwing and although they succeeded in learning that more than 20 persons were injured, not have been able to find only a few of them as the Italians in the neighborhood refuse to give information.

Two rival saloonkeepers on opposite street corners were giving away beer in an effort to outdo each other and a crowd surrounded each place.

Peter Lomero who was acting as doorkeeper at one saloon said that Donetto approached him and demanded money which was refused him. He immediately stepped back took a bomb from his pocket lit it, its fuse and threw it. An explosion followed and many women and children ran screaming from the place. Donetto was knocked down but soon recovered sufficiently to get away. When the police went to arrest him he threatened to commit suicide but his door was broken in before he could obtain a weapon. A pistol he was attesting to his wounds at the time.

Several children were slightly injured and one man slightly hurt had his arm blown off but so far the police have been able to learn nothing. The threat to commit suicide was made to the police when he was taken into custody. The police have been unable to learn what he was doing in the neighborhood.

TRIED TO SWIM TO CONEY

Contestants Go Crazy After Seven Hours in the Water

New York Aug 8—CHMUND G FISCHER a civil engineer and Captain John Enright of the South Bronx saving sailor started on swimming contest from Coney Island this morning from pier at Coney Island both to the ocean and back in temporary ride of 10 hours for several hours and 3 miles of their road. The distance estimated at 10 miles.

Baxter has a bright and colorful when both men were nearly exhausted. In so soon it will be clear who the swimmer will be. Baxter and his crew fought him off with an oar. By this time Baxter developed a delusion that a devil was towing him and that he was starting to death and 100 feet is dragged him from the water.

A brother of Enright's being Baxter might think became excited and jumped overboard. He cast Baxter and his crew fought him off with an oar. By this time Baxter developed a delusion that a devil was towing him and that he was starting to death and 100 feet is dragged him from the water.

FROM THE COURT RECORDS.

Terms of Interest From the County Office—Deeds Marriages Licenses Deeds Recorded

Arthur L. Benson and others vs Wallace Miller on the Chautauqua County \$1000 Jul 1 1901

Charles W. P. and wife vs Sammie M. Johnson Cuyahoga County \$1000 Jul 1 1901

Amelia J. J. and others vs William M. Miller on the Chautauqua County \$1000 Oct 1 1901

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Uncle Terry

By
CHARLES CLARK MUNN

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CHAPTER XII.

“I HAVE directed our library man to send over an cutter this morning,” said Albert at breakfast the next day to his friend, “and you and Alice can take a sleigh ride and see Sandgate snowed. I have some business matters to attend to.”

It was a delightful day for a sleigh ride, for every bush and tree was covered with a white fleece of snow, and the morning sun added a tiny sparkle to every crystal. A chicklet of snow was changed to a grove of towering white cones and an alder swamp to a fantastic fairytale. It was all new to Frank, and as he drove away with that bright and vivacious girl for a companion it is needless to say he enjoyed it to the utmost.

“I had no idea your town was so hemmed in by mountains,” he said after they started and he had a chance to look around. “Why, you are completely shut in, and such grand ones! They are more beautiful than the White mountains and more graceful in shape.”

“They are all of that,” answered Alice, “and yet at times they make me feel as if I was shut in, away from all the world. We who see them every day forget their beauty and only feel their desolation, for a great tree-clad mountain is desolate in winter, I think. At least it is apt to reflect one's mood. I suppose you have traveled a great deal, Mr. Nason?”

“Not nearly as much as I ought to,” he answered, “for the reason that I can't find any one I like to go with me. My mother and sisters go away to some watering place every summer and stay there, and father and son to business. I either dawdle around where the folks are summers or stay in town and hate myself, if I can't find some one to go off on my yacht with me. The fact is, Miss Page,” he added mournfully, “I have hard work to kill time. I can get a little party to run to Newport or Bar Harbor in the summer, and that is all. I should like to go to Florida or the West Indies in the winter, or to Labrador or Greenland summers, but I can't find company.”

Alice was silent for a moment, for the picture of a young man complaining because he had nothing to do but spend his time and money was new to her.

“You are to be pitied,” she said at last, with a tinge of sarcasm, “but still there are just a few who would envy you.”

He made no reply, for he did not quite understand whether she meant to be sarcastic or not. They rode along in silence for a time, and then Alice pointed to a small square brown building just ahead, almost hid in bushes, and said:

“Do you see that magnificent structure we are coming to, and do you notice its grand columns and lofty dome? If you had been a country boy you would recollect seeing a picture of it in the spelling book. Take a good look at it, for that is the temple of knowledge, and it is there I teach school!”

Frank was silent, for this time the sarcastic tone in her voice was more pronounced. When they reached it he stopped and said quietly: “Please hold the reins. I want to look into the room where you spend your days.”

He took a good long look, and when he returned he said: “So that is what you call a temple, is it? And it was in there the little girl wanted to kiss you because you looked happy?” And then as they drove on he added, “Do you know, I've thought of that pretty little touch of feeling a dozen times since you told about it, and when I go home I shall send a box of candy to you and ask you to do me the favor of giving it to that little girl.”



He sat staring moodily at the flames. It was not what she expected he would say, and it rather pleased her.

When they were nearly home, he said:

“You are not a bit like what I imagined a schoolma'am was like.”

“Did you think I wore blue glasses and petted a black cat?” she asked laughingly.

“The glasses might be a protection to unsuspicious young men,” he answered, “and for that reason I would advise you to wear them.”

“Shall I get some tomorrow to wear while you are here?” she queried, with a smile. “I will if you feel in danger.”

“Would you do it if I admitted I was?” he replied, resolving to stand his ground and looking squarely at her.

But this chaste young lady was not to be cornered.

“You remind me of a story Ben told me,” she said, “about an Irishman who was called upon to plead guilty or guilty to the charge of drunkenness. When asked afterward how he pleaded he said, ‘Bedad, I give the judge an equivocal answer.’ And what

low voice as he spread it on the music rack in front of her, ‘but I shall always feel its mood when I think of you.’”

“Does that mean that you will think of me sleeping in a corner obscure and alone in some churchyard?” she responded musingly.

“By no means,” he said, “only I may perhaps have a little of the same mood at times that Ben Bolt had when he heard of the fate of his sweet Alice.”

It was a pretty speech, and I imagined she threw a little more than usual pathos into the song after all, but then no doubt his imagination was taxed by his fatigue.

When they stood on the platform the next morning awaiting the train he said quietly:

“Miss Page had you a few books and some music in my car for me. Miss Page? I want to see you how much I have enjoyed this visit.”

“It is very nice of you to say so,” she replied, “but I had better be to be remunerated and have got a win visit us again.”

When the train came in he hurriedly off to see his friend and with a “Hi, it's nice to have you back again,” he raised his hat turned away to gather the scratches so as not to be witness to her leave taking from her brother.

CHAPTER XIII.

In summer Southport island, as yet unbroken by the tide ofouting travel, was a spot to part dreams, poetry and canaries covered with ocean foam. Its many caves and mats where the tides ebbed and flowed among the weed-covered rocks, its bold cliffs, its washed, and above which the white gulls and gulls alighted; the deep clefts of spruce through which the ocean winds tumultuated and where great beds of ferns and clusters of red bunchberries grew were the and all left undisturbed week in week out.

At the Cape, where Uncle Terry, Aunt Lissie and Telly lived their simple home life, and Besom, the store keeper and postmaster, talked merrily when he could find a listener, and Deacon Oaks wondered why the grace of God hadn't tried the land from stone no one ever came to disturb its quietude. Every morning Uncle Terry, often accompanied by Telly in a calico dress and sunbonnet, rowed out to pull his boisterous traps, and after dinner harnessed and drove to the end of the island to meet the mail boat, then at a venture after lighting his pipe and the light house time to shoot the same time, generally strayed up to Besom's to have a chat, while Telly made a call on the “Widow” Leppin, a misanthrope, but poor creature of hers, and Aunt Lissie read the paper.

“Why so pensive, Mr. Nasen? Has going to church made you feel penitent?”

“In a way, yes,” answered Alice. “They don't mean to be rude, but a new face at church is a curio. I'll twang that nine out of ten who were there this morning are at this moment discussing your looks and wondering who and what you are.”

A realization of her cool indifference tinged his feelings that evening just at dusk, when he had been left alone beside the freshly started parlor fire, and when the object of his thought happened in he set staring moodily at the flames. She drew a chair opposite and seated herself, said pleasantly:

“Why so pensive, Mr. Nasen? Has going to church made you feel penitent?”

“I don't feel the need of repentance except in one way,” he answered, “and that you would not be interested in. To be candid, Miss Page, I'm growing ashamed of the useless life I lead, and it's that I feel to repeat of ‘A few things your brother said to me three months ago were the beginning, and went on and on for three to four years.’

One in about three weeks, according to weather, the monotony of the Bay was disturbed by the arrival of a small schooner owned jointly by Uncle Terry and Besom, and which plied between the Cape and Boston. Once or twice weeks services were held, as usual in the little brown church, and so often the lighthouse-keeper and his wife and son sang hymns and hymn tunes.

“I am very sorry, Mr. Nasen,” she said pleasantly, “if any words of mine hurt you even a little. I have forgotten what they were and wish you would. The visit which Bert and you are making me is a most delightful break in the monotony of my life, and I shall be very glad to see you again.”

And then, rising, she added, “If I hurt you, please say you forgive me, for I must go out and get to getting tea.”

The last evening was passed much like the first, except that now the elusive Alice seemed to be transformed into a far more gracious hostess, and all her smiles and interest seemed to be lavished upon Frank instead of her brother. It was as if this occult little lady had come to feel a new and surprising ecstasy in all that concerned the life and amusements of her visitor. With true feminine skill, she plied him with all manner of questions and affected the deepest interest in all he had to say. What were his sisters' amusements? Did they entertain much, play tennis, golf or ride? Where did they usually go summers, and did he generally go with them? His own comings and goings and where he had been and what he saw there were also made a part of the gust he was encouraged to grind. She even professed a keen interest in his yacht and listened patiently to a most elaborate description of that craft, although as a ruleboat was the largest vessel he had ever set foot on it likely she did not gain a very clear idea of the Gipsy.

“Your yacht has a very suggestive name,” she said. “It makes one think of green woods and empires. I should dearly love to take a sail in her. I have read so much about yachts and yachting that the idea of sailing along the shores in one's own floating house, as it were, has a fascination for me.”

This expression of taste was so much in line with Frank's, and the idea of having this charming girl for a yachting companion so tempting that his face glowed.

“Nothing would give me greater pleasure,” he responded, “than to have you for a guest on my boat, Miss Page. I think it could be managed if I could only coax my mother and sisters to go, and you and your brother would join us. We would visit the Maine coast resorts and have no end of a good time.”

“It's a delightful outing you suggest,” she answered, “and I think you very much, but I wouldn't think of coming if your family had to be coaxed to go, and then it's not likely that Bert could find the time.”

“Oh, I didn't mean it that way,” he said, looking serious, “only mother and the girls are afraid of the water, that is all.”

When conversation lagged Frank begged that she would sing for him and suggested selections from Moody and Sankey, and despite her brother's sarcastic remark that it wasn't a revival meeting they were holding she did not play and sang all those fine worn melodies, but a lot of others from old collections. When returning home Frank asked that he be allowed to remain in the middle of wing both ways. “I wasn't lone-some,” he continued.

“You remind me of a story Ben told me,” she said, “about an Irishman who was called upon to plead guilty or guilty to the charge of drunkenness. When asked afterward how he pleaded he said, ‘Bedad, I give the judge an equivocal answer.’ And what

was, rising and adding a few sticks to the fire as the two women laid aside their wraps and drew chairs up. “I've read the paper party well through and had a spell of livin' over bygones,” and then, turning to Telly and smiling, he added, “I got thinkin' of the day ye came ashore, an' mother she got that excited she set the boy ye was in on the snow an' then put more wood in. It's a wonder she didn't put ye in the stove instead o' the wood!”

As this joke was not new to the listeners no notice was taken of it, and the three laughed into silence.

Outside the steady boom of the surf beating on the rocks came with monotonous regularity, and inside the clock ticked. For a long time Uncle Terry sat and smoked in silence, resuming again his tomes, and then said: “By the way, Telly, what's come of them visitors you've had on that day?” “It's I’ve seen so long and ‘most twenty years, I don’t recall them. I suppose you haven't lost 'em, have you?”

“Why, no, rather,” she answered, a little surprised. “I’m not. They are all off to New York or Europe, and no one ever disturbs them.”

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ADVANCE ON MUKDEN

Japanese Will Strike There and at Liaoyang With Their Full Strength.

RUSSIAN PRESTIGE IS DAMAGED

Kuropatkin's Surrender of Yinkow, Haicheng and Newchwang Without Fight Injures Morale of His Army—Report from General Stoessel.

London, Aug. 8.—The Times correspondent at Tokio, under date of Aug. 7, says that there are unofficial reports there that the Japanese have captured commanding positions north and northeast of Port Arthur at a distance of 2,750 yards from the main line of Russian defenses.

Liaoyang, Aug. 8.—The Japanese are advancing on Mukden and it is probable that a simultaneous attack will be made on Mukden and Liaoyang, in which case a decisive battle is assured.

Tokio, Aug. 8.—General Kuroki reports that he buried the bodies of 512 Russians on the battlefields of Yinkow and Yangtzuiling. In these actions he reports the capture of 263 Russians.

General Kuropatkin's success in extracting his army from the Liaotung peninsula without disaster had elicited much praise from the Japanese. The concentrating of his army at Kai-shou at one time seemed certain to involve it in disaster. It was popularly believed that a general decisive battle would either be fought at Tatchekiao or at Haicheng.

It is considered here that Kuropatkin sacrificed his prestige by abandoning an immense territory without a battle. He was forced to abandon or destroy valuable stores and munitions of war when the transportation was almost the most serious problem



LIEUTENANT GENERAL KUROKI, Russian commander killed in battle, Japanese shell.

of the Russians. He also injured the morale of his army, but he preserved his men and guns. It is evident that he had hoped and planned to check the Japanese at Tatchekiao. Then, after holding the enemy in check, it is believed to have been his purpose to concentrate his remaining force at Liaoyang and to strike Kuropatkin.

The unprecedented loss of the Russian left at Tatchekiao and the appearance of the Japanese Takushan army on the flank forced the abandonment and surrender, without a fight, of Yinkow, Haicheng and Newchwang. It is generally believed that the crisis will come shortly at Liaoyang, and that Kuropatkin will be forced to give battle, whatever his present purpose may be.

General Oku's and the Takushan armies are pressing northward and General Kuroki is close at hand ready to take any part necessary in the general Japanese play.

Japs Gain Great Advantage.

The possession of Yinkow (the port of Newchwang) has enormously simplified the transportation problem for the Japanese. It gives them two armories a freedom of movement which they have heretofore not possessed. The Japanese are speedily repairing the railroad which the Russians failed to seriously damage in their hasty retreat.

Admiral Togo reports an exciting torpedo boat destruction fight which took place at Port Arthur Aug. 5. The Japanese torpedo boat destroyers Akebono and Obesa approached the entrance of the harbor for the purpose of reconnoitering. Fourteen Russian torpedo boats destroyed dashed out, separated, and endeavored to surround the Japanese boats. The latter broke through the cordon, however, driving off three of the Russian boats. At this point the Japanese torpedo boat destroyer Inazuma joined the other two and the three turned and spiritedly attacked the 11 Russian boats. The latter retired within the harbor. The Japanese boats were uninjured.

General Kuroki's staff surgeons have examined the bodies of a number of soldiers whom they allege have been the victims of Russian atrocity. One of the cases cited was that of the condition of affairs found at Iwo on July 3. It was declared by the surgeons that the head of a Japanese soldier was skinned by the Russians, while the blood was yet in circulation. Four cases in the vicinity of Siamtsa also were reported in which the surgeons asserted that the bodies were bayoneted and disfigured after the victims had fallen wounded. The publication of these statements has created a feeling of disgust and intense resentment here.

General Kuroki's headquarters in the field, via Fusan, Aug. 5 (Delayed in transmission).—Detailed reports arriving at headquarters show that the right wing of the Japanese army had the hardest fighting during the battle of last Sunday. A sensational feature occurred at Chobnui pass, 10

miles from Motien pass. A brigade constituting a center column, raced with two Russian regiments for the possession of the summit commanding the Russian flank. The Japanese fired as they ascended, dislodging the Russians from the rocks and killing or wounding 1,000 in a very few minutes. The Japanese sustained 12 casualties.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 8.—Lieutenant General Stoessel, commanding the Russian military forces at Port Arthur, in an undated dispatch to the emperor says:

"I am happy to report that the troops repulsed all the Japanese attacks of July 26, 27 and 28 with enormous losses. The garrison's enthusiasm was extraordinary. The fleet assisted in the defense by bombardment the Japanese flank. Our losses during the three days were about 1,500 men and 40 officers killed or wounded."

Enormous Losses Reported.

"According to statements of Chinese and prisoners the Japanese lost as many as 10,000. Their losses were so great that the enemy has not had time to remove dead and wounded."

General Kuropatkin reports a reconnaissance Aug. 5 on the south front in the direction of the Japanese positions. The Russians set fire to the village of Honchuan, 12 miles northeast of Newchwang, from which place a small force of Japanese fled precipitately, leaving their transport animals.

The official account of the sinking of the British steamer Knight Commander by the Vladivostok squadron says that a Russian cruiser fired two blank shots at her at a distance of two miles. Instead of stopping, the vessel steamed at full speed toward the gulf of Tokio, and only seawed to a second shell, having in the meantime hoisted the British flag.

The visit to the vessel, the official account says, showed that the captain had neither charter nor manifest, but certified copies of these documents presented by the captain showed that his cargo was destined for Kobe and Yokohama. It was established that the vessel was chartered in the United States to sail for Japan with railway material and machinery, which is contraband of war, and the vessel therefore was liable to confiscation.

The proximity of a Japanese port, the lack of coal on board the Knight Commander to carry her to a Russian port, and the impossibility of coaling from a Russian cruiser, owing to the high sea running, obliged the Russian commander to sink the vessel.

Will Follow Up Their Advantage.

Liaoyang, Aug. 8.—The past week has been a most dramatic and eventful one. The Japanese intend to follow up the Russians and to gain ground east and south by an attack on Anshanshan, midway between Haicheng and Liaoyang.

Though apparently beaten at every point and though the Japanese have advanced well on the Russian flank, the Russians in council of war have determined to defend all their positions as heretofore. All the foreign attaches and newspaper correspondents are hurrying to the lines.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The statement is made in high official circles that country to the reports from abroad the United States has not been sounding the European governments with a view to ascertaining their views of what should be considered contraband in the present struggle between Russia and Japan. This government is determining for itself what classes of merchandise it considers contraband without suggestions from any other power, and when a decision has been reached its attitude on the subject will be made public.

WAGE REDUCTION.

Free Trade Means Competition With European Tolls.

In the tariff plank of the Republican platform it is asserted that "the means of protection should always at least equal the difference in the cost of production at home and abroad."

Let the workingmen of the United States take note of this.

The difference between the cost of production at home and that abroad is caused by and equal to the difference between the wages paid to American workmen and those paid to the tolls of foreign countries.

Protection for American industries is protection for American wage earners. The Republican party says to foreign manufacturers, "You shall not bring the products of underpaid labor into this country to compete unfairly with the products of well paid American labor."

As much as you withhold from your employees shall be paid into the treasury of the United States by those who buy your goods, so that when these goods are offered to consumers here they cannot be sold below the prices of goods of the same class made at home."

Advocates of tariff reduction are advocates of wage reduction.—Albany Journal.

THE EXPECTED HAPPENED.

Governor Cummins Broke Faith With Republicans of Iowa.

The Cedar Rapids Republican is right in the opinion that in going to the Chelmo convention and "breaking loose with about the worst concoction of ideas that he has yet devised," Governor Cummins has broken faith with the Republicans of Iowa.

That is precisely what happened, precisely what might have been expected. Although morally bound hard and fast by the vote of an overwhelming majority in the convention which selected him as one of the delegates at large, and although he pledged him self to stand with both feet right in the middle of the platform, and not to go teetering on its edges, Cummins disregarded the instructions and broke his word by working with all his might and main for the incorporation of his tariff tinkering and wide open reciprocity heresies into the national Republican platform.

Iowa Republicans made a mistake when they permitted Cummins to misrepresent them at Chicago. He should have been kept at home. He probably will be next time.

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